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Introduced by
Senators Cannell R, Hellon: Representative Cajero Bedford

AN ACT

**AMENDING SECTION 42-5252, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO
TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICE EXCISE TAX.**

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 42-5252, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 ~~42-5252.~~ Levy of tax

5 A. A tax is levied on every provider in an amount as follows:

6 1. For the fiscal years beginning from and after June 30, 2001 and
7 ending before July 1, 2006, thirty-seven cents per month for each activated
8 wire and wireless service account for the purpose of financing emergency
9 telecommunication services.

10 2. For fiscal year 2006-2007, twenty-eight cents per month for each
11 activated wire and wireless service account for the purpose of financing
12 emergency telecommunication services.

13 3. For the fiscal years beginning from and after June 30, 2007, twenty
14 cents per month for each activated wire and wireless service account for the
15 purpose of financing emergency telecommunication services.

16 4. ~~0.69~~ 0.68 per cent of the provider's gross proceeds of sales or
17 gross income derived from the business of providing exchange access services
18 for the purpose of financing telecommunication devices for the deaf and the
19 severely hearing and speech impaired under the program established pursuant
20 to section 36-1947.

21 5. ~~0.18~~ 0.19 per cent of the provider's gross proceeds of sales or
22 gross income derived from the business of providing exchange access services
23 for the purpose of financing the Arizona poison control system, INCLUDING THE
24 TERATOGEN INFORMATION PROGRAM. These monies shall be deposited in the poison
25 control fund administered by the department of health services and are
26 subject to legislative appropriation.

27 6. 0.23 per cent of the provider's gross proceeds of sales or gross
28 income derived from the business of providing exchange access services for
29 the purpose of financing the operating expenses of the Arizona state schools
30 for the deaf and the blind pursuant to section 15-1306.

31 B. Each provider shall state on the invoice to customers a separate
32 line item stating the amount of tax levied pursuant to subsection A of this
33 section.

34 C. Unless the context otherwise requires, article 1 of this chapter
35 governs the administration of the tax imposed under this section.